

**Indiana Course-Aligned Assessment
Chemistry – Sample Items**

1. Many cooks prefer to use copper pans because copper has a relatively low specific heat capacity, $0.39 \text{ J/g} \cdot ^\circ\text{C}$. How much energy in kJ is needed to raise the temperature of an empty 970 g copper pan from 24°C to 98°C ?
- A 9.1 kJ
- B 28 kJ
- C 37 kJ
- D 184 kJ
2. Based on bonding principles, which compound has the highest melting point?
- A CH_4
- B NaCl
- C NO_2
- D NH_3
3. Given the reaction:
- $$\text{Mg(OH)}_2(\text{s}) + 2\text{HCl}(\text{aq}) \rightarrow \text{MgCl}_2(\text{aq}) + 2\text{H}_2\text{O}(\text{l})$$
- Determine the volume of 0.10 M $\text{HCl}(\text{aq})$ that will react with 0.10 g Mg(OH)_2 .

Note: Formulas, constants, and a Periodic Table of the Elements will be provided for students.

Answer Key

Item	Answer	Alignment
1	B	C.6.4
2	A	C.3.5
3	$3.4 \times 10^{-2} \text{ L}$	C.4.4